

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

J. DeVall, of Leland, was in town on business Wednesday.

Sam Neas went to Portland Tuesday evening on business.

W. C. Fry of Merlin was transacting business in this city Wednesday.

Rev. J. M. Spencer and wife, of Rogue River, are visitors in the city.

H. Adams left Thursday for Weed, Cal., where he expects to remain for some time.

Samuel Bennett, orchardist of Medford, was a Thursday visitor in the city.

W. A. Spaulding went to Montague, Cal., Thursday on a short business trip.

Mrs. H. C. Massie left Thursday morning for Dunsmuir, Cal., where she will make her future home.

John M. Penn came in from the mine on the lower Rogue Wednesday to transact business in this city.

Mrs. W. H. Morrison and Cliff Morrison were Wednesday arrivals from the Smith River country.

Mrs. Rose, of Ashland, who has been visiting with Mrs. Leach in this city, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. M. H. Pitcher, who has been visiting in the city for several days, returned to her home in Roseburg Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Allen, who have been visiting in the city for several weeks past, left Tuesday night for their home at Pullman, Wash.

E. J. Lassare, business manager for Della Clark, who, with her company, appears at the opera house May 8, in her four-act comedy, "Introduce Me," was in the city Wednesday.

F. R. Perry left Wednesday morning for Portland, where he will spend the summer, and his brother, J. C. Perry, left for Los Angeles, where he will remain for several months.

Mr. Barnett, of the Auto-Cycle Washer Co., left Thursday morning for Salem in the interest of his business.

E. T. Neill, of Seven Oaks, was in Grants Pass Thursday to dispose of some hay and also to visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Alverson.

Mrs. J. W. Totten and son left Thursday morning for Seattle, where they will make an extended visit with relatives. Mr. Totten left the city Wednesday for Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Elliott, of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived in the city Thursday and will make a prolonged visit with Mr. Elliott's brother, E. S. Elliott. They may decide to locate here.

Brigadier Dublin, of Seattle, who is at the head of the Salvation Army in Oregon and Washington, arrived here this morning on an official visit. He will hold special services at the barracks this evening.

Ardell Bailey and Miss Dorothy Bevins, of Medford, and Mrs. Nina Smith, of Gold Hill, are among the visitors from neighboring towns today.

George Gilbert Bancroft returned Thursday morning from Portland, at which point he closed his winter's work in the lecture field. He will now don his picturesque farmer's garb and devote himself to his little ranch on Tenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stonaker stopped off in Grants Pass Monday morning on their way southward in a tour of the coast country for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stonaker.

John Reiber, of Huntington, Ore., arrived in the city Wednesday morning to look after the interment of the body of his brother, George Reiber, who was recently drowned at Three Pines.

Week End Rates From Portland—The Southern Pacific company has announced a series of rates of one and one-third fare for the round trip from Portland to Rogue valley points during the month of May, for the purpose of "stimulating travel during the planting season." The selling days are on each Saturday and Sunday during the month, with return good on Monday.

Strawberries By Parcels Post—What do you think of a citizen who will ship strawberries into the Rogue river valley by parcels post from Louisiana? Attorney Richard has just received a package of nice ripe berries, sent with the compliments of a Portland fruit firm—a pretty good demonstration of the possibilities of the parcels post. Of course no one will admit that they are as good as the Rogue river fruit.

Cure for Stomach Disorders. Disorders of the stomach may be avoided by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many very remarkable cures have been effected by these tablets. Sold by all dealers.

Ray Cass a Benedict—

Announcement has been received of the marriage on April 22 of Ray Cass, who, for some time was connected with the Southern Oregon Supply Co. in this city, to Miss Helen Marie Cook, daughter of Rev. Cook, of Newark Valley, New York, and the young couple will make their home at that place.

A Word to the Men—

How would you feel if your wife told you that this year you would be compelled to work the farm with an ox and bull-tongue plow? It would go tough, wouldn't it? So it is tough for the housewife to take the old fashioned rubboard and do the family washing. Men, if you doubt these statements, take a washboard and try one washing—that will be enough to convince you. Now, why not loosen up? Try an autocycle washer. City address, 513 G St., V. S. Grout, agent.

Concentrator on Flanagan Mine—

Messrs. Irons and Mansfield, manufacturers of the Ogden Modern Concentrator, will establish one of their machines on the Flanagan mine, a dozen miles down the Rogue river from this city. This machine is said to save all the fine gold and black sands that have been lost in worked placers, and an effort will be made to have them installed in the many placers of Josephine county where the fine gold values have been lost in the earlier workings. They are installed on a percentage basis.

Mrs. Quincy Woodcock Dead—

Mrs. Quincy Woodcock, a resident of the Kerby district, died at Kerby Thursday morning from stomach trouble. She had been suffering from the complaint for some time, and left her home Wednesday to come to Grants Pass for treatment, but becoming worse at Kerby, she rapidly failed and passed away. The deceased was a sister of Chas. T. Roberts who resides near this city, and had many friends in this vicinity.

BORN.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Miller, of Galice, on April 18 1913, a 12 pound son.

Born—On April 23, to wife of J. N. Larimore, of Williams, a son, who tipped the scales at 11 pounds.

Born—On April 26, at Provolt, a fine young miss, weighing 8 1-2 pounds, was born to the wife of Everett Lewmann.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kirker, of Jones Creek, April 30, 1913, a son.

DIED.

COOK—At the home of his niece, Mrs. Frank A. Coe, in Grants Pass, Oregon, April 17, 1913, Benjamin F. Cook, aged 85 years. The funeral services were held at the home and the interment was at the Masonic cemetery on April 19th.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.

There are funds in the city treasury to redeem all outstanding street improvement warrants issued on account Mazanita Ave., Washington boulevard, Lawndridge Ave., Evelyn Ave., Alley Block No. 32, "H" street 4th to 5th, and Fourth street respectively. Interest on same will cease after May 1st, 1913.

Dated at Grants Pass, Ore., April 28th, 1913.

G. P. JESTER, City Treasurer.

WARRANTS.

All Josephine county warrants protested prior to July 1st, 1910, are hereby called in and payable at my office, and interest will cease on April 30th, 1913.

J. E. PETERSON, County Treasurer.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—A girl's high school class planned a dance. Six invitations were given each member. The "fair" negro member demanded her bids. So did the "fair" Chinese member. Visions of six "smokes" and as many Bing Kong tong gunmen at the dance! It was called off.

Necessary Care.

Fair Visitor—Why are you giving Dido's teeth such a thorough brushing? Fond Mistress—Oh! The poor darling's just bitten some horrid person, and really, you know, one can't be too careful.—Life.

FRUITDALE.

Next Saturday is Grange day. Mervin Cheetham was a Fruitdale visitor Monday.

Worth Hamilton returned to Eugene the first of last week.

Dr. Bestul was in Fruitdale Sunday on professional business.

Miss Adah Young spent the weekend at the Hamilton home.

The friends of Mrs. Carl Grill will be glad to know that she is recovering from her recent severe illness.

A number of Fruitdale folks enjoyed the senior class play Friday night, having especial interest from the fact that Robert Harris was a member of the cast.

Mrs. George Hamilton entertained the Thimble club Thursday afternoon at her home at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proff entertained a number of guests at dinner Sunday. The following guests enjoyed their hospitality: Mr. and Mrs. John Stanbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Stroud Hoare, Mrs. Green, John Harris and Mr. Hansen.

The first out-of-door dinner of the season was given at Forest Home Sunday, about 60 friends and neighbors enjoying the Breitmayer hospitality.

Mr. Herbster, who spent the winter in Florida and is now returning to his home in Alaska, is a guest at the Hefley home. Mr. Herbster was in Dayton at the time of the flood and was delayed several days on his return on account of high water.

Mr. Proff took another degree in life in Oregon, when he experienced a forest fire on his place Friday. The boys at Bean Lodge discovered the fire about noon, the wind having started a smoldering fire, and were the first on the ground. Telephones were busy for a few minutes and men of the neighborhood responded quickly and confined the fire to about 50 tier of wood. Mr. Proff had over 200 tier of wood cut so he is fortunate that his loss was not greater.

ILLINOIS VALLEY ITEMS.

Chas. Owens and family are moving to Deer creek.

Elliot Young and family have moved to Kerby from the Logan mine.

The "Ugo-Igo" literary society held a meeting at the home of A. Hervey on Saturday.

Miss Julia O'Brien visited over Sunday with Miss Emma Hervey.

A number from the valley attended the Odd Fellows' anniversary at Kerby on Saturday.

We have a traveling library in the valley, the books being kept at the home of W. L. Babcock. We hope many will avail themselves of the opportunity to borrow these books as it is an excellent chance to obtain a good class of reading matter.

A baseball game was scheduled to be played between the Kerby and Illinois valley teams, but we have not heard which side was winner.

The late rains are making excellent range for stock, which makes the stockraisers smile. If the present prices of cattle hold up they will soon be wealthy.

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HUGO ITEMS.

Hugo is one of the coming towns with a nice new depot, a section house, Mr. Arin building a new residence and improving his new home. Grange dance a success Saturday night, skating at McKinzie rink most every night, quite a few strangers on our streets daily, and a good many people coming and going on the trains.

There are no drones in the Hugo hive. All are planting and tilling the soil looking forward to the bountiful crops. When man does his best, the giver of all good, with his wonderful skill and nature, will fulfill the rest.

In the ball game Sunday between Hugo and Leland, Leland was best on the diamond.

The Embroidery club was entertained at the Sexon home recently. The subject of "Soups and How to Make Them," was discussed. The club will talk on the dinner course, meats being the subject at the next meeting. Refreshments were served.

Services at the church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Breeding and Frank Sexon and family moved to the Three Pines mill Monday for the summer.

Mrs. Crockett, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Perry were visitors at the Baptist convention in Grants Pass this week.

Mrs. J. McAllister came down from Ashland Wednesday for a visit of several days with her husband.

LAUNDRY WORKER'S WAGE HELPED OUT BY THEFT.

LOS ANGELES, April 30.—Because she stole a few articles of wearing apparel, which she declared she sorely needed and which her sick husband could not buy for her, Mrs. Jennie Cole, 23, a laundry worker, must pay a \$20 fine today. Mrs. Cole was sentenced despite her plea to the court that her wages of \$9 a week were eaten up by doctor bills incurred by her husband, and that she could not spare the money to buy clothing.

FOREST FIRES DAMAGE WISCONSIN TIMBER.

BEMIDJI, Minn., May 1.—Heavy damage to logging companies near Bemar and Lake George is being done by forest fires which are raging east and south of here today. The Bad River reservation of Wisconsin is swept clean by the flames. The fire is the most serious that has occurred here in four years.

DO IT NOW.

Grants Pass People Should Not Wait Until it is Too Late.

The appalling death-rate from kidney disease is due largely to the fact that the little kidney troubles are usually neglected until they become serious. The slight symptoms often give place to chronic disorders and the sufferer may slip gradually into some serious form of kidney complaint.

If you suffer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney disorders—they act where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here's a case at home:

Mrs. J. Boesch, 708 South Fifth St., Grants Pass, Ore., says: "We have used Doan's Kidney Pills in our family both here and in Indiana. One of our family was troubled with his back and kidneys a great deal. Doan's Kidney Pills was the best remedy he ever used. They have always helped him quickly and substantially."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

"THE PRINCE OF TONIGHT" WAS EXCELLENT SHOW.

An audience of 400 at the Grants Pass opera house last night enjoyed hugely the gorgeous musical comedy "The Prince of Tonight," with its splendid lighting effects, its seventeen well rendered musical numbers, its dazzling array of richly-costumed and beautiful girls and natty groomed men, its trenchant wit free from suggestion of unwholesomeness, its beautiful staging and the uniform excellence of its large interpreting cast.

Every member was encoered vociferously and "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now" and "Her Eyes Are Blue for Good Old Yale" were redemanded a dozen of times, the playlets responding until vocally and physically hors de combat.

In a splendid galaxy of players redolent of varied and uncommon talents, Tom Arnold, as "The Prince," shone with marked effulgency, was graceful and manly, sang his numbers inspiringly and vindicated his occupation of the pinnacle upon which only a select few of the dancing and singing comedians of our stage abide.

Charles Corwin, as the old gardener that had been a playmate of Christopher Columbus, was tremendously dramatic, as the role required. Corwin was, for many years, regarded as the greatest "Gaspard" in the "Chimes of Normandy."

Frank Harsh, who weighs 338, and who is that rare bird, a genuine comedian, had the audience in a riot while he was on the stage. Gates Austin, a graceful, charming young man, was especially adequate, and if Arnold ever takes a night off, might prove a satisfactory understudy. The other men in the cast were highly satisfactory.

Eva Carey, a beautiful girl with a sweet voice and midnight eyes as large as hen eggs, should have lived in Sir Joshua's day, so that he might have put his name on the hem of her garment, as he did with Sarah Siddons, while a more vivacious sourette than Betty Caldwell seldom escapes from Broadway, and Vivian Forest, in a composite Carrie National-Mrs. Pankhurst type of woman that,

on this mimic stage, at least, is always welcome, left nothing to be desired.

"The Prince of Tonight,"—which had been selected by John Cort to open the new Medford theater had that structure been completed in time, made good its promises and fulfilled expectations. LeComte and Flesher, its owners, travel with the show, and see that every member of the company gives of his best.

DISASTER PREDICTED WITH FREE WOOL AND SUGAR.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Democratic senators from Pacific and inter-mountain states, opposed to free wool and sugar, conferred with President Wilson for three hours here today. They predicted disaster if the free clauses passed. It is expected that the president will stand pat for free sugar and wool but it was said that the conference had established a more friendly feeling.

FEDERAL JUDGSHIP FOR STEPHEN J. CHADWICK.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—President Wilson expects to appoint a successor to Former United States Judge C. H. Hanford for the western district of Washington soon. Senator Poindexter of Washington visited the white house today and it is understood that he discussed the matter with the president. It was reported that Supreme Judge Stephen Chadwick is certain to be named.

Health a Factor in Success.

The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers.

WIRE BRIEFS.

PORTLAND, April 30.—Open season for trout fishing in the city water mains is on. Dr. W. H. Boyd found that water would not flow from the faucet in his kitchen. A plumber extracted a six-inch trout, still alive, from the pipe.

PORTLAND, April 30.—Excess pride cost Ole Olson 30 days in jail. Charged with pilfering a shovel, Judge Tazwell asked him if he was going to do any work with the shovel. Ole indignantly replied: "I never worked a shovel in my life; I was going to hook it."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—George Sutton married Agnes McGuire in 1903. Charles Cobb married her in 1910 without "putting Sutton wee." She continued to live with Sutton. Now Cobb has apologized to Sutton for his deed. Sutton is still puzzled. The lawyers are busy.

LOS ANGELES, April 30.—The Los Angeles public is entitled to its money's worth when it buys strawberries. City Sealer Harshman has decreed. As a result ten merchants must answer charges of short weights.

LOS ANGELES, April 30.—The mysterious "murderer" of a sacred Indian bull of a motion picture company, was an escaped blind lion. The beast was captured when it wandered back to the film company's farm.

JONATHAN BOURNE WANTS CASH FOR NATIONAL HIGHWAYS.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—An expenditure of \$1,000,000, 000 for good roads and \$2,000, 000,000 for their maintenance for the next 50 years was proposed by Jonathan Bourne of Oregon today in a plan reported to a joint congressional committee on that subject.

Bourne's plan proposes that \$1,000,000,000 be raised by selling government bonds and loans made to the various states which will give their own 50 year bonds in exchange. The apportionment of the fund would be made on the basis of road mileage, assessed valuation and the area and population of the various states.



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As a special offer we will send you our new illustrated catalogue of presents FREE. This offer expires December 31, 1913. Just send name and address on a postal.

Coupons from Duke's Mixture may be assorted with tags from HORSE SHOE, J. T. TINSLEY'S NATURAL LEAF, GRANGER TWIST, coupons from FOUR ROSES, (10-100 double coupons), PICK PLUG CUT, PEDMONT CIGARETTES, CLIX CIGARETTES, and other tags or coupons issued by us.

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